

REMARKS**Restriction Requirement**

In the Office Action mailed August 11, 2004, restriction to one of the following two groups of claims is required: (I) Claims 1-16, drawn to a semiconductor device; and (II) Claims 17-31, drawn to a method.

In response, Applicants hereby elect the claims of Group (I) Claims 1-16, without traverse, for examination in the present application.

Conclusion

No fee is believed to be due for the submission of this response. If any fees are required, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 09-0458.

Respectfully Submitted,



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